

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADVERTISEMENT
FOR RECEIPT OF BIDS UNDER THE
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION & COMMUNITY SERVICES FOR
TREE REMOVAL AND TREE TRIMMING SERVICES**

WHEREAS, the Department of Parks, Recreation & Community Services provides for ground maintenance of Parks and various municipal property and contracts out for tree removal and trimming services that require specialized lawn care equipment; and

WHEREAS, the current contract with High Tech Landscape, Inc. expires December 31, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Lou Ann Benson, the Director for the Department, has determined there is a need for a third party to continue providing for said services; and

WHEREAS, funding for said services was previously included as part of the Parks OE – Tree Maintenance Budget; and

WHEREAS, the Business Administrator has reviewed the Director's request and recommends authorizing a new contract for tree removal and trimming services; and

WHEREAS, the aggregate amount for said goods and services is anticipated to exceed the current bid threshold, and is therefore required to be procured under a formal process pursuant the Local Public Contracts Law (N.J.S.A. 40A:11-1 et seq.) and all other provisions of the revised statutes of the State of New Jersey.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, on this 8th day of September 2015 that the Township Council of the Township of North Brunswick does hereby authorize advertisement for the receipt of bids for the following specification:

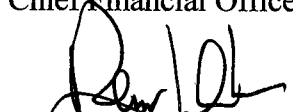
BID OPENING DATE: October 1, 2015

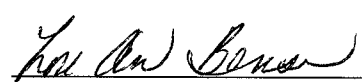
CONTRACT BID15012: Tree Removal and Tree Trimming Services

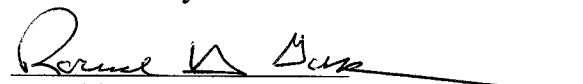
CERTIFICATION

I, Kala Sriranganathan, Chief Financial Officer of the Township of North Brunswick, certify that funds have been made available for this purpose under Contract BID15012.


Kala Sriranganathan
Chief Financial Officer


Robert Lombard
Business Administrator

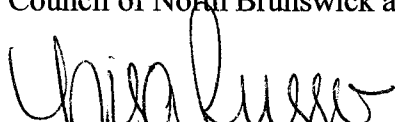

Lou Ann Benson
Director of Parks, Recreation
& Community Services


Ronald Gordon, Esq.
Township Attorney
Approved as to legal form

RECORDED VOTE:

COUNCIL MEMBER	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	NOTES
NARRA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
NICOLA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
CORBIN 2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
DAVIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
SOCIO 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
ANDREWS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
MAYOR WOMACK	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a Resolution passed by the Township Council of North Brunswick at a meeting duly held on the 8th day of September 2015.


Lisa Russo
Township Clerk

C: M.A. Benson M. Werner
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